SUPERIOR COURT OF ARIZONA MARICOPA COUNTY

CV 2015-013746 09/16/2016

HONORABLE LORI HORN BUSTAMANTE

CLERK OF THE COURT
T. Nosker
Deputy

JOSEPH MOMOT, et al. KRYSTLE DELGADO

v.

SILKWORTH MANOR L L C, et al. ADAM E HAUF

MINUTE ENTRY

The court has reviewed the following pleadings regarding the Second Motion to Compel:

- Second Motion to Compel
- Motion to Strike Second Motion to Compel for Failure to Certify After Personal Consultation and Good Faith Efforts to Do So Counsel Have been Unable to Satisfactorily Resolve the Matter
- Response to Motion to Strike Second Motion to Compel for Failure to Certify After Personal Consultation and Good Faith Efforts to Do So Counsel Have been Unable to Satisfactorily Resolve the Matter
- Defendant's Reply to Plaintiff's Response to Motion to Strike Second Motion to Compel for Failure to Certify After Personal Consultation and Good Faith Efforts to Do So Counsel Have been Unable to Satisfactorily Resolve the Matter.¹

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¹ The Reply was not considered by the court because Ariz. R. Civ. P. 7.1(f)(1)(c) provides that "no reply memorandum may be filed"

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Ariz. R. Civ. P. Rule 37(a)(2)(C) provides that counsel must attach a separate statement to a Motion to Compel:

No motion brought under this Rule 37 will be considered or scheduled unless a separate statement of moving counsel is attached thereto certifying that, after personal consultation and good faith efforts to do, counsel have been unable to satisfactorily resolve the matter.

The Arizona Rules of Civil Procedure have clearly defined guidelines on discovery disputes so that parties can attempt to resolve matters prior to bringing their dispute to the Court. Counsel did not attempt to meet and confer with defense counsel prior to the filing of their Motion and there is no *separate statement* of moving counsel certifying personal consultation and good faith efforts attached to the Second Motion to Compel.

IT IS ORDERED granting Motion to Strike Second Motion to Compel for Failure to Certify After Personal Consultation and Good Faith Efforts to Do So Counsel Have been Unable to Satisfactorily Resolve the Matter.